

Amendments to the Specification

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 1, line 4 with the following rewritten paragraph:

~~-- The present application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of Provisional Patent Application Serial Number 60/387,054 entitled "Proposal on the Use of the BPDG Broadcast Flag" filed on June 7, 2002.~~

This application claims the benefit, under 35 U.S.C. § 365 of International Application PCT/US03/17663, filed June 5, 2003, which was published in accordance with PCT Article 21(2) on December 18, 2003 in English and which claims the benefit of United States provisional patent application No. 60/387,054, filed June 7, 2002. --